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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Harry Fisch

Filed:

February 21, 2002

Group Art Unit:

1614

Serial No:

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Examiner:

Henley III, Raymond J.

Customer No.: 41913

For:

METHODS OF TREATING ANDROGEN DEFICIENCY IN MEN USING

SELECTIVE ANTIESTROGENS

Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Petition P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

# PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT UNDER MPEP 711.03 (C)(I)

Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was abandoned for alleged failure to timely pay the issue fee. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 25, 2004 and received on April 13, 2004.

Applicants submit herewith the following:

- A copy of PTOL-85 with a certificate of mailing dated November 21, 2003;
- A copy of the transmission report dated November 21, 2003 confirming receipt of the issue fee.
- Statement of Melissa Scanzillo attesting to the timely filing of the issue fee.

Applicants respectfully request the withdrawal of the Notice of Abandonment in view of the information provided.

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Please charge the Issue Fee payment of \$665.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-3024. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees for this Petition or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-3024. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

## **CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

If any extension of time for this response is required, Applicants request that this be considered a petition therefor. Please charge the required Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 50-3024.

## ADDITIONAL FEE

Please charge any insufficiency of fees, or credit any excess to our Deposit Account No. 50-3024.

Date:

May 18, 2004

Respectfully submitted

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# DECLARATION OF MS. MELISSA SCANZILLO IN SUPPORT OF WITHDRAWING A NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

Sir:

- 1. My name is Melissa Scanzillo. I am the Patent Paralegal at Clifford Chance US LLP.
- 2. I attest that, on November 21, 2003, I timely deposited Form PTOL-85 with the United States Postal Service.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: 5-6-04

Name.: 9/WWW